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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

The Honorable Assistant Director of Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 21, 2002, Applicants request entry of the following amendments and reconsideration of the patentability of the claims. Claim 7 is pending in the application and is currently rejected. Please charge the fee for a one-month extension of time to our Deposit Account No. 19-0733. We believe no other fee is required for consideration of this response. If any other fee is required, please also charge our Deposit Account.